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METHOD

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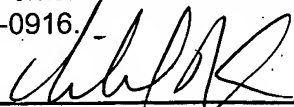
We enclose an Amendment in reply to the Office Action mailed November 29, 2005.  
The additional claims fee is calculated as follows:

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
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Reduction by ½ if small entity						- 1,125.00
TOTAL						\$ 1,125.00

A check for \$1,305.00 to cover the \$1,125.00 additional claims fee and \$180 IDS fee is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this Amendment and charge any additional required fees to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

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**AMENDMENT**

In reply to the Office Action mailed November 29, 2005, please amend the  
above-identified patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

**Remarks** follow the amendment sections of this paper.

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